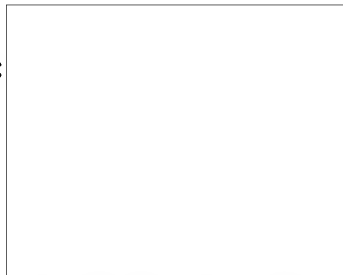


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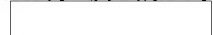
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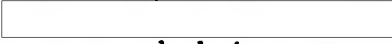


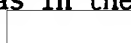
Commendation



This is to commend the above for their prompt and effective work on a special project connected with the hijacking of the Italian cruise liner, "Achille Lauro." On the evening of 7 October, at about 10 p.m., the Wire Service was asked by the Agency Ops Center to locate three classified Staff language officers to work on documents forwarded from the White House,  

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 responded promptly to this need, reporting almost immediately to the Ops Center where they worked on the materials most of the night. Kudos also go to   for their prompt organization of the response and their contacts with FBIS officials. This prompt response to the Ops Center's needs, and in particular the work of  was in the best tradition of FBIS service. My thanks for a job well done. 

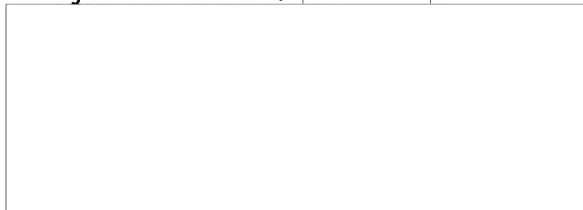
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